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SUBJECT: ADMISSION OF TWO KOREAS TO UN

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SUMMARY: EMBASSY BELIEVES GOI WOULD FAVOR DUAL ADMISSION
BOTH KOREAS INTO UN IF CLEAR BOTH WISHED TO JOIN. OUR
ASSESSMENT SHARED BY ROK CONGEN, HOWEVER, HE SAYS GOI
FOREIGN MINISTRY DOUBTS ISSUE WILL COME BEFORE UN IN
CLEARCUT WAY BECAUSE OF NORTH KOREAN OPPOSITION TO DUAL
ADMISSION. ACCORDING CON GEN GOI ALSO BELIEVES PRC LIKELY
VETO ADMISSION FOR EITHER OR BOTH KOREAS. BECAUSE
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OF THESE UNCERTAINTIES GOI HAS NOT GIVEN FIRM ASSURANCES

TO ROK COVERING ALL CONTINGENCIES. CON GEN THINKS IT WOULD NOT BE HELPFUL FOR US RAISE QUESTION OF DUAL ADMISSION WITH GOI AT THIS TIME AND WE DO NOT PLAN TO DO SO. END SUMMARY

1. ON BASIS PRIVATE AND PUBLIC COMMENTS BY GOI OFFICIALS, INCLUDING MALIK'S COMMENTS REPORTED REF C, EMBASSY BELIEVES GOI WILL FAVOR DUAL ADMISSION OF BOTH KOREAS INTO UN, ESPECIALLY IF THERE IS CLEARCUT EVIDENCE THAT BOTH KOREAS WISH TO JOIN.

2. CHARGE CALLED ON ROK CON GEN (AMBASSADOR) KIM AUGUST 6 TO SECURE HIS ASSESSMENT. KIM SAID HE SHARED OUR ASSESSMENT AS RESULT PAST GOI POSITION AND TALKS OVER PAST MONTH WITH FOREIGN MINISTRY OFFICIALS, INCLUDING FON MIN MALIK. SPECIFICALLY, KIM SAID MALIK WAS QUITE CLEAR IN ASSURING ROK THAT GOI WOULD "OF COURSE" SUPPORT DUAL ADMISSION.

3. KIM WENT ON TO SAY FOREIGN MINISTRY, INCLUDING MALIK, UNCERTAIN THAT ISSUE WILL COME BEFORE UN IN SIMPLE, CLEAR-CUT FORM OF DUAL ADMISSION -- THEIR UNCERTAINTY STEMMING FROM NORTH KOREAN OPPOSITION TO DUAL ADMISSION, WHICH INDONESIANS AGREE IS ILLOGICAL AND CONTRARY TO ACTIONS NORTH KOREA HAS TAKEN OR IS TAKING IN OTHER UN BODIES AND BILATERAL RELATIONS WITH OTHER COUNTRIES (E.G. MALAYSIA). MOREOVER, KIM SAID INDONESIANS BELIEVE IT VERY LIKELY (UNLESS THERE IS CHANGE IN NORTH KOREAN POSITION) THAT ADMISSION TO UN FOR EITHER OR BOTH KOREAS WOULD ENCOUNTER CHINESE VETO IN SECURITY COUNCIL. BECAUSE OF THESE UNCERTAINTIES RE FUTURE, KIM SAID, INDONESIANS HAVE HELD BACK FROM GIVING ASSURANCE GOI WILL UNDER ANY CIRCUMSTANCES SUPPORT SEPARATE ROK MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION OR UN RES DEALING ONLY WITH ROK ADMISSION.

4. WHEN ASKED IF HE THOUGHT IT WOULD BE HELPFUL FOR US TO DISCUSS MATTER WITH GOI, KIM SAID HE THOUGHT IT BEST FOR US TO HOLD OFF ON UN ASPECTS OF KOREAN QUESTION UNTIL ISSUE OF INDONESIAN-ROK BILATERAL RELATIONS (REF B) HAS BEEN RESOLVED. LATTER HAS BEEN ENTIRE FOCUS OF HIS EFFORTS WITH GOI FOR LAST TWO WEEKS AND HE FEARED IT MIGHT CON-
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FUSE THINGS IF EITHER ROK OR US WERE TO RAISE UN ASPECTS OF QUESTION WITH GOI AT THIS STAGE. KIM SAID THAT ONCE BILATERAL ISSUE RESOLVED, HOPEFULLY BY MIDDLE OF MONTH, HE WOULD DISCUSS WITH US FURTHER POSSIBLE CONCERTED APPROACHES TO GOI ON DUAL ADMISSION AND OTHER UN ASPECTS.(KIM'S COMMENTS ON BILATERAL ISSUE BEING

REPORTED SEPTTEL.)

5. COMMENT: IN LIGHT KIM'S VIEWS (PARA 4 AOLE), WE DO
NOT PLAN TO RAISE DUAL ADMISSION QUESTION WITH YEN
MINISTRY AT THIS STAGE.
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